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**BUSINESS SPECIALS.**  
Under this head business notices inserted for ten cents per line. Seven words to the line. Special spring prices made on ranges.  
Wm. C. Leavitt.

Buy your next chocolates at Beck's and get the 40c ones for 20c.  
Mrs. Welch will be at her office Monday and Saturday evenings.  
Headquarters for Spaulding's base ball goods at Stone's.  
Grass, hedge and sheep shears at Wm. C. Leavitt's.

40c chocolates 20c at Beck's. We have made arrangements with one of the largest candy makers in New England and by buying in large quantities we can sell these high grade chocolates for half price.

Don't forget Mrs. Hill's spring opening this Friday and Saturday.

Base balls, bats, gloves, everything in Spaulding's goods, a large line at Stone's. Oranges, bananas, lemons at B. C. K's. Monarch stock, white, eighteen pounds to the gallon. Best paint going at Wm. C. Leavitt's.

Wanted, a woman to do plain washing and ironing; also a young man to run blacking cart at Beal's Hotel.

Ladies, read Mrs. Hill's ad.

Millinery opening at Mrs. G. A. Allen's April 5 and 6, 1904. We shall exhibit newest materials and latest designs.

Bloss, rakes, manure forks and other spring goods—as usual—at Wm. C. Leavitt's.

Oranges, 16 for 25c at Beck's.

You are invited to attend Miss Libby's South opening Friday and Saturday of this week from 9 a. m. to 6 p. m. If the weather is unfavorable come the first of next week.

Millinery opening this Friday and Saturday at Mrs. Hill's. All invited.

Announce lace curtain sale at Thomas Smiley's.

See Beck's lovely jewelry. Ad in another column.

If you want a trunk or suit case you can save money if you buy it at Smiley's Shoe Store.

Ready-to-wear hats, all prices. See our special at 8c at Mrs. Hill's.

Sap buckets, syrup cans. Wm. C. Leavitt.

Speaking of spring wash goods, see the line at Thomas Smiley's.

I am prepared to sell grass seed at the lowest price for cash; 9c pure; also seed cases, re-cleaned, A. C. McClellis. If

Grocery horse for sale. Will stand anywhere, sound and kind, easy driver. Jesse P. Edwards.

New line china and glassware at Beck's.

You will find the largest and finest display of millinery at Mrs. Hill's millinery opening this week, Friday and Saturday, April 5 and 6. All come.

## NORWAY AND VICINITY

### Universalist Society.

At the Universalist church, Sunday morning, was a large attendance and the services were very appropriate to the day. The church was most handsomely decorated with plants and flowers. Mrs. Whitman being ill her place in the quartet was taken by her sister, Claudine Maloney, and in place of the solo announced for Mrs. Whitman a duet, "The Crucifix," was sung by Mrs. Kimball and Mr. Whitman. The sermon was most powerful and impressive. One of the most beautiful parts of the service was the christening of four infant children. The Lord's Supper was then observed.

In the evening the concert was one of the best that have been given on such occasions. It was practically according to the published program. The music was excellent, the recitations were well chosen and the children recited them well. A large number attended.

### The Quiet Club Entertained.

Last Friday evening, Grace Nevins, who has served as a substitute in this well known and most jovial whist club, entertained the members and substitutes making five tables of whist. While the playing was going on in its most quiet manner and after its close when the quietness was most impressive the guests did ample justice to the treat of the evening, which was fine and varied, being candies, fruit, nuts, sandwiches and punch. The closing portion of the evening's enjoyment was music by request.

Mrs. W. H. Warren of Cornish visited her daughter, Mrs. G. A. Brooks, last week.

M. M. Chick and wife of Lewiston are with their son, Charles W. Chick, who is seriously ill.

Charles F. Boobier has been appointed night watchman and assumed his duties Monday evening.

Hon. William T. Cobb of Rockland was in Norway last Thursday. He is a candidate for the Republican nomination for governor.

Rev. A. H. Erickson's home next Sunday at 2.30 p. m. will be, "What Constitutes a Christian?" Sunday school at 1.30.

The Norway Home for Aged Women received recently from the W. C. T. U. of this town a generous donation of \$20 for which the management are very grateful.

Tuesday evening, Mr. and Mrs. James J. Faver entertained the Professional Whist club in a very pleasing and enjoyable way. This was the last meeting of the season.

Mrs. Alice Kneeland is helping Mrs. Hattie Small with her dressmaking all the spare time she has, while Mrs. Geo. Bennett is caring for her daughter, who is sick at Mechanic Falls.

In view of the patronage, which is becoming too large for proper care, M. W. Sampson has decided this year not to open Camp Meador to the public, but to reserve its use for friends and invited guests.

The new pastor of the Methodist church is Rev. C. A. Brooks, who has been several years at Yarmouthville. He is a native of Woodstock, was educated in the public schools of Paris and served as superintendent of schools in his native town.

About half past two Tuesday afternoon an alarm was rung in box 35. It proved to be a grass fire near the house of Mrs. J. D. Cragin, and though the department turned out their services were not needed. Mrs. Cragin, who was alone at the time, chanced to look out of the window and saw the grass at rear of home all ablaze, also some articles hanging on the line and the flames were setting toward the outbuildings. She extinguished the flames, while a neighbor rushed to the alarm box.

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## Our School Troubles.

Something of a hurry was created in town and especially in the Norway high school by the explosion last Friday, of Myron Paragard, Will Horna, Harold Anderson and Eddie Burnell by order of the superintending school committee.

The boys were caught in the school building, Thursday night by officer A. P. Bassett, whither they had gone to arrange the usual April fool joke. This practice has been in vogue for some years and it was felt by the school board that the time had come to have it stopped, hence the apparently severe punishment.

Last year window glass was broken to gain admittance and books and utensils badly mixed and some of the books it is said have never been found since.

The senior and sophomore classes resented the punishment and refused Monday morning to return to school unless the four boys were reinstated, only a few of them going to school.

A petition was circulated requesting the school committee to reinstate the boys, Monday, the 4th, and it received the names of nearly all the citizens to whom it was presented—some afterwards claiming they did not understand the time limit placed therein and thought they were simply asking to have the boys reinstated, and asked to have their names removed or called on the committee and so expressed themselves.

As the days pass a few more of the scholars return to the school, and the excitement is abating and common sense and respect for school and its officers and their laws is returning.

We understand the school committee have the right by law to expel any member of the schools and to restore the expelled party when they see fit.

We feel that the interest of our schools will not suffer in the hands of our superintending school committee and all aggrieved persons will be heard and their decision will be "tempered with justice and mercy under the Statute," and the expelled boys can be re-instated when the time comes or when they personally ask to go back to school and are willing to comply with the rules and regulations of the school.

We understand that Thursday forenoon the boys and their parents appeared before the School Board and the difficulty has been adjusted.

## Successful Circle.

The men's circle at the Second Congregational vestry, last Thursday evening, was one of the best that the band of men who give the supper and entertainment once each year, have ever held. There were over two hundred and fifty who took supper, of which they all speak in high terms.

The entertainment was of a very high order. Ella Louise Hill of Bridgton has become a favorite reader here and each time she appears adds new friends and delights the former ones. She read three selections, responsive to each with an encore in most pleasing manner. F. E. Tower is an artist musician of high accomplishments and fine training. His voice is of great range and power with remarkable clearness, flexibility and sympathy, and his beautiful rendering of "Dreams" was a musical treat. He has been for several years in the choir of Washington Street Baptist church of Lynn, one of the large churches of that city and the state.

The solos of Claudine Maloney, Mrs. V. M. Whitman and V. M. Whitman were each very fine, in fact of each listener declaring that they were even more pleased than ever by these well known and deservedly popular young singers. The gross receipts were considerably more than \$50 and the net amount not far from \$35.

## Oxford R. A. Chapter.

P. G. M. Bial F. Bradbury, assisted by P. M. G. W. Holmes installed the officers of Oxford Council, No. 14, Friday evening, as follows:

T. J. M.—A. J. Stearns.  
M. M.—A. W. Walker.  
P. C.—W. H. L. Bartlett.  
Treas.—H. D. Smith.  
Reg.—C. P. Barnes.  
C. G.—W. L. Gray.  
C. G.—H. F. Andrews.  
S. S.—H. Fletcher.  
T.—Thaddeus Cross.

Florence Cross is visiting at D. L. Joslyn's.

Mrs. Douglass Farrar, who has been quite sick, is better.

The country roads are now between drifits and mud time.

Rev. B. S. Rideout started, Monday morning, on his trip.

Roy Bennett is learning to run an electric car as motorman.

Mrs. J. L. Horne, who was seriously ill last week, is now better.

Rev. B. F. Fickett has moved, this week, to East North Yarmouth.

C. V. Webber has moved this week to his new place on the Oxford road.

Regular meeting of K. A. E. this Thursday evening. Work in first degree.

George L. Curtis, town clerk, has received his commission as a justice of the peace.

Indications point to a large gathering of fine time at the military ball, this Friday evening.

Elbridge Cummings and bride of Bethel called on relatives in town, Wednesday last week.

Marie Willis, who has been doing housework for Mrs. Percy Nevins, has closed her labors there.

Late reports from Mrs. Arthur Joslin are that she is rapidly improving and will doubtless soon be able to return here for a visit.

In each corporation report is a circular enclosed in an envelope. It is desired that every citizen fill out the circular exactly as they feel regarding the proposed improvements and questions asked. Do it at once and hand or send by mail to Geo. L. Curtis, secretary of Norway Board of Trade.

Tuesday evening, a special meeting of Wilder Encampment, No. 21, I. O. O. F. The occasion was an official visit by Herbert W. Sears of Portland, Grand High Priest of the Grand Encampment of Maine. The Patriarchal degree was worked and a banquet followed. There was a good number present and also a delegation from Aurora Encampment of South Paris, which was visited on Monday evening by the same officer.

## Piano Trade Loses Pioneer.

Edwin Kimball, prominent in Manufacture of Musical Instruments, Passes Away as Brooklynite.

Edwin N. Kimball, president and manager of the Hallett & Davis Piano Company, died at his home, 1470 Beacon street, Brooklyn, Mass., Saturday morning at 9.30, after a long illness of acute kidney trouble.

Mr. Kimball was born in Norway, Feb. 28, 1837, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Kimball. He was the youngest of ten brothers and sisters, among whom were the famous carriage manufacturers and business men, Charles P. and Hannibal Ingalls Kimball. When a very young man he went to New Haven, Conn., engaging in the manufacturing business there.

He married Emma C. Cook of that city, Sept. 26, 1857, who with her two sons, George Cook Kimball and Edwin N. Kimball, Jr., survive him.

In 1880 he went to Boston and in company with his father-in-law, George Cook, bought out the business of the Hallett & Davis Piano Company, of which he had been president and manager for twenty-two years.

Mr. Kimball proved a very progressive business man and in making "Juno," Shadley's, to see if corporation will vote to move the light near F. P. Stone's to the opposite side of the street; to see if corporation will raise money to finish the basement of the house No. 3 into a meeting room for the members of the company.

The annual report is printed and is being distributed to the voters. The valuation of the corporation is real estate, \$660,064; personal estate, \$195,997; polls taxed \$50 at \$1.80. Amount assessed, \$4,594.27; tax abatements, \$58.07. Expenses—fire department, \$2,469.60; street lights, \$1,492.93; officers' salaries, \$201.20; stationery and printing, \$27.50; new hydrant Greenleaf avenue, \$325; interest, \$129.65. The liabilities are five outstanding orders amounting to \$2,500, and \$18.33 interest. Cash in hands of treasurer, \$595.91; tax deeds, \$126.01; due from collector, \$1,145.71.

There have been five fires the past year, calling out the department, three of which were trifling. The chief engineer recommends the purchase of 500 feet of new hose, some rubber hats and mittens and three fire extinguishers.

## SOUTH PARIS.

**Special Town Meeting.**  
At the special town meeting of Saturday afternoon about forty or fifty voters attended. Town clerk Wheeler called the meeting to order shortly after 2 o'clock and Jas. S. Wright was chosen moderator.

Under the article regarding a reconsideration of the vote at the annual meeting whereby a school was established in the Bolster schoolhouse, a statement was made that the repairs voted would cost \$300, at least, and that the cost of running the school would be greater than transporting pupils. It was then voted to rescind the vote of the annual meeting whereby the committee was instructed to maintain the school.

The vote to raise \$200 to repair the schoolhouse was then reconsidered, and the article in relation to the sale of the house was passed over.

## Death of Albion Taylor.

Albion Taylor, one of South Paris' well known and most respected citizens, passed away Sunday evening, after a lingering illness of a year or more. Mr. Taylor was the son of the late William Taylor of Buckfield and was born in that town Jan. 17th, 1835, being a little more than 69 years old at the time of his death. He married Ellen Bicknell of Buckfield, who survives him. He also leaves one son, Frank A. Taylor, of this place.

Mr. Taylor was engaged in farming and also dealt in cattle to some extent, in both of which enterprises he was successful and ordinarily successful. In 1872 he came to South Paris, where for the past thirty-two years he has made his home. Mr. Taylor was a man of clean business judgment and upright character. He has identified himself in various ways with the upbuilding of South Paris and made many friends in this community to whom his death comes as a public and a personal loss. Funeral services at his home, Tuesday at 2 p. m.

Catherine Briggs was in town, Friday. Alta Walker is at home for the Easter vacation from Bates college.

Mrs. Mary C. Walker of Brownfield is visiting her son, A. W. Walker.

Robert Hubbard of Portland spent Sunday with his mother and brothers.

Roy Porter is at home for the Easter vacation from the University of Maine.

Rev. W. C. Barrows of Biddeford will preach at the Baptist church next Sunday.

Capt. Wm. R. Swan and wife of East Poland are stopping at Mrs. J. H. Winslow's.

Mrs. Paul D. Higgins of Oostigan is a guest of her mother at the Andrews House.

Harry R. Morton and daughter Grace took a drive at J. J. Morton's over Sunday.

Charles S. Stuart is at home from the Boston dental college for the Easter vacation.

Etha S. Kilborn and wife of Bethel were with her parents, S. P. Stearns and wife over Sunday.

A. M. Hammond and wife are moving into the upper part in J. H. Jones' house on Pleasant street.

It is expected that Rev. C. E. Angell of Norway will preach at the Universalist church on Sunday.

Mr. Pleasant Robak Lodge will work the degree, Friday evening, and refreshments will be served.

Charles E. Brett, who has been confined to the house by illness a few days, is able to be out again.

James D. Williams and grandson, Harry White, of Danville Junction were here a few days last week.

Mrs. J. H. Little returned last week from a visit to her sister, Mrs. J. H. Perley at Woodville, N. H.

F. Wendall Rounds, Bates '04, is at home for the Easter vacation and is engaged in taking the school census.

Hon. William T. Cobb of Rockland, a candidate for the Republican nomination for governor, was in town, Thursday.

At the last meeting of the Pythian Sisterhood the first degree was worked on five candidates. The officers and delegates were present at the meeting.

Almon Churchill has sold his stand on High street to A. K. Martin of Rumford Falls, who is to move here. Mr. Churchill has rented the Robert Gray house on the same street and has moved there.

Elena Danforth is at work for C. W. Young in his mill.

Flora Sargent has gone to Waldoboro to work for the summer.

Sadie Pendexter has gone to the mountains to work for Mr. Eastman.

Herbert Weeks of Durham, N. H., is visiting his mother, Mrs. Olive Weeks.

## Norway Village Corporation.

The annual meeting of the village corporation will be held next Monday evening, and it is desirable that all citizens shall attend. Besides the articles in relation to the choice of officers, of raising money for the support of fire department, street lights, collection of taxes and payment of miscellaneous expenses, there are articles in relation to raising money for the extinguishment of the corporation debt; to see if corporation will appoint a committee to revise the corporation by-laws; to see if corporation will establish a light on Pike's hill between George Merrill's and Eben Shadley's; to see if corporation will vote to move the light near F. P. Stone's to the opposite side of the street; to see if corporation will raise money to finish the basement of the house No. 3 into a meeting room for the members of the company.

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## South Paris Fire Department.

The annual meeting of the fire companies was held Saturday evening. Hose Co. No. 1 lacked members to effect an organization. The companies are made up as follows:

Hose Co. No. 2.  
Foreman—M. W. Maxim.  
Asst. Foreman—J. M. Cummings.  
Clerk—Franklin Maxim.  
1st Pipeman—Roselle Edwards.  
2d Pipeman—Charles Cutler.  
3d Pipeman—Will Weston, Hiram Thurlow, C. E. Campbell, M. V. McAllister.

Hose Co. No. 3.  
Foreman—A. W. Walker.  
Asst. Foreman—E. O. Millett.  
Clerk—W. A. Edwards.  
1st Pipeman—Vernal Edwards.  
2d Pipeman—W. B. Strickland.  
3d Pipeman—J. M. Doble, L. Monk, M. A. Millett, William Ripley, Roy Porter, F. M. Walker.

Hose Co. No. 4.  
Foreman—Eugene E. Cummings.  
Asst. Foreman—L. L. Powers.  
Clerk—Alton Wheeler.  
1st Pipeman—J. E. Murch.  
2d Pipeman—A. C. Wheeler.  
3d Pipeman—J. J. Everett.  
4th Pipeman—J. E. Harrison.  
Hydrantman—J. E. Kenney.  
Cauldrier—H. N. Porter.  
Walker Bonney, Frank Bonney.

Hose Co. No. 5.  
Foreman—F. L. Starbird.  
Asst. Foreman—H. H. Swan.  
Clerk—R. A. Wheeler.  
1st Pipeman—W. C. Bessey.  
2d Pipeman—J. E. Thomas, W. C. G. L. Wheeler, C. E. Swan, Charles Wilson, W. M. Jacobs, T. W. Stillman.

Hook and Ladder Co.,  
Foreman—G. A. Wilson, Jr.  
Asst. Foreman—Nelson G. Elder.  
Clerk—Nelson G. Elder.  
Chatter, Sewell, Bert Stevens, Stanley M. Wheeler, Henry Perkins.

**Town Appointed Officers.**  
The selectmen have appointed minor town officers as follows:

Constables.  
Alfred H. Jackson, A. W. Walker, Geo. K. Ripley, John L. Marshall, Joseph S. Cole.

Weighers of Coal.  
A. E. Shurtliff, R. N. Hall, E. H. Farrar, C. E. Millett, H. H. Shaw, S. E. Newell, F. F. Ripley, F. C. Fickett, A. W. Walker.

Surveyors of Wood, etc.  
Chas. A. Young, S. G. Burnell, Geo. W. Cole, Arthur L. Mann, Geo. W. Tubbs, James Lapham.

Fire Wardens.  
A. E. Shurtliff, Frank Reed, Joseph B. Cole.

Sextons.  
Grace Thayer, Joseph B. Cole, O. D. Billings, O. D. Billings, Frank C. Ryerson, O. K. Clifford, E. Williams, W. R. Curtis, A. J. Abbott.

Member of Board of Health.  
Horatio Woodbury, M. D.

Last Thursday, Malcolm, the four-year-old son of Arthur E. Clark, while leaning over the piazza rail at Mr. Gertry's, fell striking a clothes line and then the ground, fifteen feet below, but with no injury save a shaking up.

With the services of the present week, Rev. A. W. Pottle closes a four years' pastorate of the South Paris Methodist church. The years seem to have been pleasant ones for both pastor and people. There has been a ripple of every harmony of church affairs, and Mr. Pottle leaves the church in good condition in all respects. Especially is this true with regard to its finances, which are very satisfactory. As a citizen, aside from church affairs, Mr. Pottle has won the esteem and friendship of every man and the people of the community are genuinely sorry to have him and Mrs. Pottle go from us. Mr. Pottle goes to Lisbon Falls. His successor here is Rev. H. A. Clifford, recently pastor of Elm Street and Brown's Hill churches in Pleasantville, South Portland.

**Porter District.**  
Mrs. Sidney Farnum is gaining a little at present.

J. A. Porter has purchased a nice work horse to replace the one he lost recently.

Geo. F. Felton has purchased a driving horse.

O. E. Barrows wife and son Irving visited at A. E. Marshall's last week.

Mrs. Eliza Marshall has returned from Lewiston bringing Marshall Baldwin to remain two weeks with his grandparents.

Thosfield Cole of Gilead is chopping wood for Porter and Perham and will live with his family in the Bird house, formerly belonging to the A. G. Buck estate.

The families in this vicinity are usually stationary but this spring there are some changes. Edward Simpson and wife moved this week to the Chandler Swift farm which he purchased, and B. M. Greely has moved back to the Cummings place.

**EAST OXFORD.**  
Geo. H. McKee is sick at present.

C. H. Flood had a telephone put in last Monday.

Clint Howard of Boston is visiting at Geo. Whitney's.

C. H. Flood bought six cows and two calves Saturday.

Will L. Caldwell is helping A. K. Thomas make syrup.

Guy Bryant of Hebron was at Thomas Johnson's last Sunday.

The Lovejoy Bros. have bought a new engine and are now ready to saw wood.

Charles Needham returned home from the Central Maine Hospital at Lewiston, Saturday, where he had a very successful operation performed.

**OTISFIELD.**  
The snow is fast disappearing.

Helen Edwards is some better.

Gladys Edwards has a Shepard pup.

Frank LaTulip has been quite sick but is some better.

There are several in this vicinity making maple syrup.

Irvin Chaplin called on relatives in this place recently.

Mildred Dudley of Harrison visited at Sumner Spurr's recently.

George Kirkland is to work for Benjamin Harmon of Harrison.

Frank Chaplin of Bridgton was at Gene Edwards's, Saturday.

Hiram Edwards and wife are both suffering with rheumatism.

Gene Edwards and Bonnie Wight took a trip to Eden Falls, Saturday.

Wallace Edwards has returned to Poland Springs to resume his work. He has been there three years.

## BETHEL.

**An Heirloom.**  
The writer has an heirloom in his possession in the form of a pension certificate, No. 1599, dated January 25, 1889, issued in favor of Margaret (Bea) Bean, widow of Daniel Bean deceased, a private in the Revolution, who died in March, 1894, allowing a five years pension at the rate of \$84.67 per annum, commencing March 4, 1888. Signed, J. R. Poinsett, Secretary of War. J. L. Edwards, Com. of Pensions.

The pension was paid at Portland, on March 4 and Sept. 4 in each year by A. Newhall, esq. Recorded in the Pension Office, book A, Vol. 1, page 2. By D. D. Addison, Clerk.

**Middle Intervale.**  
Several are sick in this vicinity with measles.

Ethel Sanborn recently picked some mayflowers.

Mrs. L. C. Russell has gone to Lowell to visit friends.



## SOCIETY DIRECTORY.

A cordial invitation is extended to strangers who belong to any of these organizations to visit meetings when in town.

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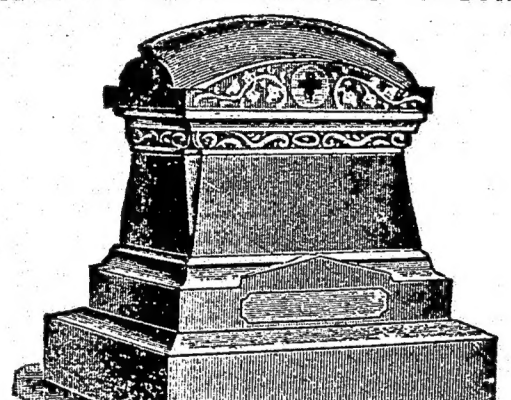
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## HEARTS By HALLIE ERMINIE RIVES

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"No, no. Not because they hate England as Louis does, but because they love France better than Louis, and to save her they must even risk to ruin him. There is more than one French king at stake—there is a dynasty! These are not the middle ages, monsieur. In these days the peoples are awakening. France, if she lives, must open her eyes. These men I tell you of would jolt her wide awake. They would have her smiths and her plowmen stop their toil to listen across the seas—to hear the guns of a people who would not be oppressed, to see royal mercenaries driven into the sea just by people like them. Then their murmur would be a roar. They would say, 'So can we do also!' Then the corrupt court would stand terror-stricken. And then at last there would be an end of the selling of titles, of the elegant bishops and the painted courtesses. France would put on purity again, and her king and her nobles would rule justly, and poverty would not stalk everywhere. These nobles of which I speak are loyal, monsieur. They love first France and then their king."

"Gentlemen," rose Jarrat's voice, "the hopen is just below. Will you come

to the instant he did so Armand vaulted the rail where he stood, caught a rope, swung to a stanchion and landed as lightly as a cat at the side of the burly ruffian. The act was so clean, so graceful and so quick that none of the passengers could have told exactly how it was done.

The mate turned and, seeing him at his elbow, struck with all his strength at the other's head.

The stroke was one to stun, but it never reached home. The young foreigner bent one side, not moving his feet, with a motion that would have spoken volumes to an athlete, and the mate's fist banged against the bulkhead. While he staggered from this, Armand, seizing a rope's end as he circled, cut him across the face with such a slash that the blood ran from the gash.

Now ensued a strange combat. The mate, heavy and cumbersome, tried to reach the other with sledge hammer blows. The Frenchman, slight, wary, circling, retreating, slipped hither and thither. Three times in as many seconds that sibilant "swish" sang, and a red mark sprang out on the brutal face.

At each swing of the fist a sort of groan went up from the huddled redemptors, and at each cut they sucked in their breath with delight. It was a new, strange entertainment for them—to have a brain sick passenger descend from his clean deck to champion the cause of a scum.

The Virginian, looking down, was quivering visibly. As the passenger evaded a blow that would have crushed his ribs he could not forbear a shout: "Well done, by the Lord! But 'ware the clinch! 'Ware the clinch, monsieur!"

For the mate, though maddened out of himself, had shown a sudden gleam of purpose. He was forcing the secretary back into a corner between bulkhead and stanchion, not striking, but his burly arms now stretched out wide.

Even as Cary shouted the arms gripped Armand like a vise, and the stinging rope's end, useless now, fell to the deck.

Over the upper rail the passengers leaped, watching.

"A shame!" cried one. "That bloody brute will kill him out of hand!"

"Tis the clerk! Pshaw!" said the quartermaster. "He sides with the rabble. Let the rabble care for him!"

The woman who had been the unwitting cause of this struggle crouched back of the first sullenly intent rows, waiting, hugging her bundle. The others watched, guessing well what the issue would be, most of them accepting it as they had accepted the unspeakable fare, the cursings and revilings of the crew, with that stolid acceptance which, multiplied by centuries of heredity, had brought them at last to this same condition.

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Then, like lightning, a wonderful thing happened. The young man's chin sank deep into the hollow of the other's shoulder; his arms went up about the muscles of the bulky back; like legs like wire went suddenly curling and twisting about the stocky ones. A moment of strained silence and a glaze of shocked surprise on the mate's slashed face, then—

Crack! The coil untwisted; the mate relaxed, tottered and fell to the deck.

There was at this time in France a curious science known as "La Savate." The Japanese have it under another name. It was first taught in the thieves' dens of Paris and was to some extent popularized by a clever rogue who earned freedom from the Bastille by teaching it to young officers of title. It was an art of leg fence, and by precisely the same twist and wring which a practiced swordsman uses to disarm an adversary, the blade in this case being bone and flesh, Armand had sent the mate's knee leaping from its socket.

To the majority of those who saw it this was perfectly incomprehensible. A gasp of wonder ran among the redemptors, and they laughed loudly at the mate's groan. The secretary had lost none of his alertness, though he was breathing hard. He sprang at the stanchion, clearly intending to return to the upper deck by the way he had come.

But he was too late. The mate's sailors rushed upon him.

Cary, shaking with excitement, sent out a cry.

many groveling sobs. "She says," said the redeemer, "that if it could only be blessed. There is no priest aboard."

The mate, with his hands on the rail, laughed at this. "Do what I say, you down there!" he cried. "Will ye stand making mouths all day? Tie it in that canvas."

The man he had bidden approached the woman to take the cold little body from her, but she turned suddenly with a fury and, holding it to her breast with one arm, fought him off, screaming.

He jumped back, with his hand glapping to his armpit. "The Jezebel's bit me!" he yelled.

There was a great laugh from the sailors, and the mate cursed loudly from above. "Are ye mollycoddlers, then?" he shouted. As he hesitated he scrambled down hand over hand, damning them for landlubbers and clearly minded to do it himself.

The Frenchman's fingers, as he stood beside the Virginian, gripped the rail. "Swine!" he said under his breath. Then he leaped over and called clearly. "Keep your hand from that woman!"

The mate looked up, astonished, at the group, for the other passengers had gathered to witness what was going on.

"What's that?" he asked.

Armand repeated his words.

The mate's face turned a spongy purple, and he laughed in a way that was not good to hear. For answer he reached out a hand to the shawl and literally tore it away from the poor clerk it covered.

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Apr. 12—Second District Republican Convention, Lewiston.  
Apr. 14—Republican State Convention, Portland.  
Apr. 21—Leap Year ball, Norway Opera House.  
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Apr. 22—Old Folks' anniversary sermon, Unit. Methodist church, Norway.  
Apr. 23—Oxford County Teachers' Convention, Oxford.  
May 2—Clerks' ball, Rumford Falls.  
May 6—A-bon Day.  
May 25—State Prohibition Convention, Portland.  
July 1—Republican County Convention, Court House, South Paris.  
July 14—State Democratic Convention, Waterville.  
Sept. 13-14-15—Oxford County Fair, South Paris.

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## SUMNER.

**Daniels—Pomeroy.**  
A wedding took place in town last Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Pomeroy, when their oldest daughter, Lula May, was united in marriage with Alfred Daniels of Paris Hill. Only intimate friends were present.

Mrs. F. S. Palmer was in Lewiston, Saturday.

Grace Harlow is visiting relatives in Lewiston.

Mrs. Abbie Haskell has been visiting her parents.

Charlie Muttart went to his school at Hebron, Monday.

Earle Muttart is at work for Mr. Millett of Hartford.

May Brown and Grace Bragg went to Hebron, Wednesday.

The Baptist ladies' circle will hold a meeting at the church, Thursday, April 7th.

The rural free delivery mail route was started April 1. Arlet Russell is mail carrier.

Mrs. Elden Tucker has been visiting her parents in Mechanic Falls, but has returned home.

Mrs. W. H. Eastman and Mrs. L. N. Muttart spent the day with Mrs. Elma Roberts, recently.

Jennie Stetson spent her vacation with her parents but has returned to her teaching in Massachusetts.

Examination of teachers was held at the school house, Wednesday, March 30, and the Congregational ladies' circle gave a dinner on that day.

## DENMARK.

Sarah Farrington is on the sick list.

Wagons began running here, Mar. 31. Mrs. Freeman Sanborn is considerably better.

They began in the corn shop to make cans, Monday last.

Mrs. John Hurd is very sick at Aaron Welch's and appears failing.

Cora Jordan has gone to Conway, N. H., to work for the summer.

W. B. Deacey sold a pair of oxen, last week at A. R. Hill, Brownfield.

Elbridge Thorn and wife are comfortably settled again in their old home here in the village.

There will be no services at the Congregational church, Sunday, as the pastor will be absent.

Mrs. Francena Wilson has returned from her extended visit and her daughter Lillian came with her.

A young doctor by the name of Shaw from Portland is in town making arrangements to settle here. We think he is a fine young man and are glad he has concluded to settle here. He will be in town for business in a few days.

Rev. Geo. S. Palmer and wife and A. H. Witham returned, Monday, from the Maine Conference of M. E. Churches at Rumford Falls. Rev. Mr. Palmer is to remain to preach at Denmark and Sandy Creek another year. They report a very interesting session.

## UPTON.

John Brown remains about the same. Upton Grange members are preparing for an oyster supper, April 7.

Charles Brown has finished work for Mr. Thurston and is at home.

A. W. Judkins is breaking a promising yearling Alcyon colt owned by S. E. Morse.

Mr. Merchant and wife of Rumford were in town on business one day the past week.

Ronald Burke and Will Powell hauled a load of potatoes to Bethel and hauled home a load of grain.

Word has been received announcing the death of Wm. Godwin, late of California, formerly of Upton.

Very encouraging reports of J. O. Douglass are received here. The doctors at the hospital think that his leg can be saved.

## WEST PORTER.

Samuel French is still failing.

Mrs. F. A. Mason is quite sick.

Mrs. Isaac Bickford is quite low.

Ed Harriman is in town again stopping at John P. Wilson's.

Mumps have come to stay. F. A. Sargent and daughter and son are sick with them.

Mrs. Susan Gupta is on the sick list with the distemper that is going round. Most every one is sick with it.

Mrs. Mary Towle has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. M. E. Holmes at Kezar Falls, two or three weeks. She has been sick but is better and returned home.

Joseph Douglas is running his mill on full time with plenty of water. He intends to put in a steam engine soon as he is short of water during the summer season.

Our Good Friday came with snow and rain and an east wind. Old people say that Good Friday rules the next forty days and it is so our spring will be rather backward.

Herbert Weeks returned home April 1 from Dover, N. H., where he has worked the last year and is visiting his mother, Mrs. Olive Weeks, and brother. He will spend but a few days with them, and returns to his work April 14.

## SOUTH WATERFORD.

### Fell Into a Well.

Hugh Smart recently lost a horse. He fell into a well just back of his barn. Mr. Smart having recently moved to the place, was not aware that there was a well in that place. The horse was alive when found, but as he feared he could not draw him from the well alive or without much injury, he decided to shoot him. It was the sorrel horse he has had for some time.

Albert Brown is repairing Henry Kimball's house.

Mrs. Porter Gilman is reported not as well as usual.

Elden Willard has been sick, but is reported improving.

Warren Kneeland has charge of the town farm this year.

Fred Wiggin and family have moved to the H. Smith house.

Addison Flint of Sweden bought a pair of horses of W. K. Hamlin.

John Sanderson has arrived from Dartmouth College for vacation.

Quite a heavy fall of snow for the time of year was that of last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Nelson are visiting relatives in Massachusetts.

Lewis Merrill intends working for Mr. Bisbee of Sweden doing mill work.

The annual parish meeting of the Universalist society will be held on Tuesday evening, April 12, at the Baptist church. All members are expected to be present, as it is a time of officers and thanks is to be decided regarding preaching this summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlow have moved from Mrs. Mooney's house into H. Curtis's house. Quincy Day and wife, who lived in the upstairs room of Mrs. Mooney's house, will move very soon into the Dr. Packard rent. Geo. Honder, who has occupied this room this winter will break up housekeeping this spring, as he and his wife intend to go to Massachusetts this summer. After Mrs. Mooney has made some repairs on her house, it will be occupied as one rent by L. B. Swan.

Mrs. Maud Decker and George Shaw recently visited friends in Bolster's Mills.

John Everett is very sick with pneumonia. C. O. Brown takes care of him nights.

Mrs. Nellie Brickett and her mother, Mrs. Wiggin, went to Portland to visit friends.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Kneeland recently visited their daughter, Mrs. McLaughlin of Sumner.

Wilbur Wilson and family of Sweden are moving to the Samuel Ring place on Monroe hill.

It is reported that F. Wiggin will open the store owned by A. Brown and commence trade soon.

Maple syrup comes in slowly. Several about here are working their maple orchards to some extent.

Bert Sanderson, son of Frank Sanderson, and John Evans of Sweden have gone to Clinton, Mass., to work.

Sadie and Anna Mason of Providence, R. I., intend to pass the summer months at their summer resort, the Mason farm.

Dr. Stimpson is having quite extensive repairs done on the Maxfield house, which he has bought and intends soon to occupy.

A dramatic company from Bridgton will present the drama, "The Spy of Gettysburg," at Grange hall next Saturday night.

"Have you been April fooled?" Your correspondent received a letter on the 1st day of April containing only a blank sheet of paper, no writing whatever.

There were Easter services last Sunday at the hall. The sermon was truly good and impressive, the theme being the passion and resurrection of Christ. Comparison was drawn between the life work and sacrifice of the crucified and risen Saviour and that of His followers as Christians. Very sweet music by the choir, with Annie Atherton organist, "The Resurrection," "Christ is Risen and others were sung. There was a large assembly representing the different churches.

## FRYEBURG.

Maple syrup is plenty and of fine quality.

John Harriman is at work for A. W. Cook in his chisel handle factory.

Abbie Walker is assisting Albert Field at the Central Telephone office.

You can buy four pounds of nice fresh dates for 25 cents at H. H. Burdick's.

Mrs. Glines' sister has returned to her home in Conway after a long visit here.

Charles Chandler is selling out his effects, and we learn is going to move to Massachusetts. He has sold his team to Frank Thomas.

Wm. Bradley has returned from Florida, where he has spent the winter. His wife and daughter have passed the winter in Bridgton.

Waldo McIntire has moved into his house recently purchased of F. A. Wiley on Smith street. Clarence Wiley has moved into the house with his father. Additions have been made in the latter house, which will make a comfortable rent.

## EAST OTISFIELD.

Mrs. Nathan Lamb, who has been ill, is some better.

Mrs. Nellie Morse has gone to Portland to visit her daughter.

Mrs. Nellie Edwards and daughter Elvira went to Norway, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Dingley of Casco spent Sunday at Ellis R. Stone's.

Mrs. John Martin of Oxford spent Saturday and Sunday with her son, C. O. Martin.

Leonie and Millie Lasan of Oxford are stopping awhile with their sister, Mrs. Harry Stone.

Mrs. Moses Spiller is very sick and her recovery is doubtful. Her daughter, Nellie Bowker, is helping care for her.

Little Foed Wood, while fishing on Lake Thompson, had the good luck to catch a cusk that weighed three pounds.

## EAST SWEDEN.

Oscar Brown and his sister, Etta Brown, of South Waterford were at their old home one day last week.

Oscar Kimball had the misfortune to lose a valuable horse, Apr. 1. The cause appeared to be colic or something of that nature.

J. E. Crouse and family have been away from home, stopping at C. M. Evans' for two weeks. Mr. Crouse has been fitting wood for Mr. Evans.

According to the looks, Dorrance Knight will hang a little barbed wire this spring. We saw a load of 1,200 pounds being hauled in for him.

D. T. Adams has been helping H. H. Bisbee on long lumber at the mill. Mr. Bisbee has finished sawing long lumber until after his birch bolts are sawed.

Lucius Turpel has moved his household goods to East Waterford. The family expect to go, Apr. 5. Mr. Turpel is to work for Will Chadbourne the coming season.

You can buy wood ashes in carload lots. Write Simon Stahl, Berlin, N. H. See ad.

## WEST PARIS.

### Hooked by a Steer.

D. P. Curtis met with a painful accident last Tuesday forenoon. While caring for some young cattle at his barn, he was hooked in the left eye by a steer, but there are some hopes that he will not lose his eye.

Mrs. Mary Locke Gerrish of Lisbon is visiting her mother and sister.

Will Hammond of Trap Corner is having a sick spell and is not able to work.

A. C. Rieker of Yarmouth spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Rieker.

Rev. Edwards of Brunswick will preach at the P. B. church next Sunday, April 10.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Loveland were called to Connecticut on account of the critical illness of his mother.

P. J. Miles is housecleaning his store by adding a coat of paint inside, which will make a great improvement.

Mrs. Mary G. Bradbury will have a millinery display this week. She is to be assisted by Laura Bailey of Portland, the same milliner that she had last fall.

The Ladies' Aid of the M. E. church will give a reception and pound party as a welcome to Rev. D. F. Nelson and wife at Centennial hall Tuesday evening, Apr. 12. Refreshments will be served.

The annual parish meeting of the Universalist society will be held on Tuesday evening, April 12, at the Baptist church. All members are expected to be present, as it is a time of officers and thanks is to be decided regarding preaching this summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlow have moved from Mrs. Mooney's house into H. Curtis's house. Quincy Day and wife, who lived in the upstairs room of Mrs. Mooney's house, will move very soon into the Dr. Packard rent. Geo. Honder, who has occupied this room this winter will break up housekeeping this spring, as he and his wife intend to go to Massachusetts this summer. After Mrs. Mooney has made some repairs on her house, it will be occupied as one rent by L. B. Swan.

## WEST FRYEBURG.

Stephen Farrington.

After years of painful illness, accompanied with seasons of mental aberration, Stephen Farrington died at his home in West Fryeburg, Wednesday, March 30, at 10 a. m., aged sixty-six years, eleven months.

During one of the periods of mental lapse, the safety of the household required temporary removal to an asylum, and he was under treatment at the hospital at Augusta for some months until about a year ago, when greatly enfeebled, he was borne to his home, where he has received the most devoted and efficient care of a faithful and loving wife and family. He was a man of keen intelligence, rare good judgment and a moral character above reproach. Having convictions and the courage of them, he might forfeit a friendship rather than renounce a principle, yet those who knew Mr. Farrington best accorded to him the sincerest and most ardent esteem.

In his departure his townsmen lose a good citizen and neighbor, and his family a kind and indulgent husband and father, and his sisters a loyal affectionate brother.

Mrs. Annie (Stickney) Farrington, his wife, one son, Willis M. Farrington, and two daughters, Mrs. Frank Emery of Lovell and Mrs. Howard Woodward of East Conway, N. H., are the immediate survivors. Also his sisters, Mrs. Sinah Walker Lewis, Betsey E. Farrington and Mrs. Sarah Wiley of Peabody, Mass., are the surviving members of the family of Caleb K. Farrington.

Funeral services were held at the Farrington family homestead, Saturday, April 2, at 10 a. m., a large and representative group of friends of the deceased was in attendance, despite the unfavorable weather and bad traveling.

Rev. B. N. Stone of Fryeburg was the officiating clergyman, and undertaker H. A. Hodson was in charge. The bearers were near and lifelong friends and neighbors, and were Frank Eastman, Dean A. Ballard, James H. Hardy and B. Walker McKee.

Interment was in the cemetery at West Fryeburg in the family lot, where other generations of this, one of the oldest and most respected families of Fryeburg, repose.

Two removals within a week from this section, the families of Phineas Seavey and Mr. and Mrs. Walden Mauders, the former assuming charge of affairs at the town farm, and Mr. and Mrs. McIntire to a lately purchased home in Fryeburg village. These, with the recent removal by death of Charles Lewis and Stephen Farrington, make a sad gap in our neighborhood numbers and usefulness.

## FRYEBURG CENTER.

S. L. Chandler was at Mrs. M. L. Chandler's last week.

Ed Baker has been quite sick with heart trouble, but is now improving.

Then is to be a spring term of school here, taught by Mrs. Ashley Eastman.

John A. Johnson of Portland came up and spent one day last week with his mother.

Isaac McAllister has been driving the stage from Lovell to Fryeburg for the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Day visited their daughter, Mrs. David Saunders, in Bridgton last week.

Everett Goodridge has hired for six months with Harmon Harnden at East Fryeburg, commencing Apr. 4.

Ashley Eastman and Asa Charles are making maple syrup at Mr. Charles' place. Report a good run so far.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hurd of Lovell have been visiting their son Herbert and other friends about here recently.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Caswell of Harrison visited Mrs. M. L. Chandler, Wednesday and Thursday last week.

The Grange held a very interesting meeting, Saturday, April 2, when Hon. L. T. Carleton addressed the patrons on the fish and game laws, and Mr. Thompson on dairying.

Mrs. J. E. Johnson has been at her cottage the past week, cleaning the house in the occupancy of Geo. Norcross and family of Norway, who have rented it for six months to come.

## WEST BROWNFIELD.

Dana Brown is on the sick list.

Willie Bane is working in the mill for Alvin Gram.

Luther Rogers and Millbury Rogers are working in the mill for Alvin Gram.

Randall L. Meador of South Conway spent Easter with Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Bailey.

Wedding bells will soon be ringing. "Gee, the air is full of music from them wedding bells."

## BUCKFIELD.

### Clark Foster.

March 31, Clark Foster of Hebron passed away. His age was in the sixties. He worked many years at shoemaking, but one time in this village. Late years his business has been farming. He was a very industrious man, a kind husband and father, respected as a townsman and neighbor. He has been a great sufferer from Bright's disease for a few months past. One daughter and granddaughter have been with him during his wife's death several years ago and have given him the best of care. His daughter's home is in Washington, D. C., where her husband holds an office.

Fred Record spent Sunday in Lewiston.

H. A. Irish spent Sunday in Bath with his son Allen.

Rev. Mr. Prince has been returned to this Methodist church.

Hebron students have had a vacation and returned to school.

Paul Jordan has a situation in Lewiston with Wm. Bridgman.

Mrs. Merritt Parsons has returned from an extended visit with friends in N. H.

John Thurlow and Melien Thomas are in Portland doing mason work for I. W. Shaw.

Georgia and Laura Dean went to South Paris, Monday, to attend the funeral of their uncle, Albion Taylor.

Many people are having ill turns, some longer and some shorter. Chas. Withington, Daniel March and Jessie Harlow are among the number.

Chas. Holland has gone to the Lakes to work this season. Clarence Shaw and wife are to go later. They are employed by Capt. Barker of Bemis.

Word came from Caribou that Mrs. Wm. Spaulding was seriously ill. Her sister, Mrs. Carrie Spaulding and her niece, Mrs. N. E. Morrill started March 31, but Mrs. Spaulding passed away before their arrival.

## BYRANT'S POND.

Ethelyn Davis is attending the high school.

Lizzie Stevens is at her father's, Fred Stevens'.

Nicholas Manger of Boston was in town, Saturday.

Ethie Davis and Mr. Rogers are boarding at Mrs. Emily Felt's.

The high school began Tuesday. Mr. Rogers of Guilford teaches.

Mrs. Clara Hathaway and Mrs. Aggie Brooks spent Easter at South Paris.

Maud Stevens returned to Portland, Saturday, to Shaw's Business college.

Dana Dudley's baby has been sick with lung fever but is some better at this writing.

Arthur Cushman spent two weeks with his sister, Mrs. John Welch in Rumford Falls recently.

H. H. Houghton and wife are stopping in Portland. Mr. Houghton's health is very poor and he is taking treatment.

Mrs. Louise Cole, Mrs. Eva Bryant, Eva McAllister and Lottie Bryant went to Lewiston, Saturday, returning on Monday.

Scott Merrill has moved his family from Daniel Bryant's into the house formerly owned by John Titus. A Mrs. Howard from Rumford is keeping house for Mr. Bryant.

The Easter concert, Sunday evening, was a success. The church was very prettily decorated with potted plants. George A. Senter of Bates college preached in the forenoon.

Mrs. Horatio Bryant gave a surprise party for her daughter, Mrs. Bessie Bligh, April 24, it being her 20th birthday. A pleasant evening was spent in games. Refreshments were served.

Mrs. Emma Kimball, who has spent several weeks with her daughter, Mrs. D. A. Hayes, returned to her home, Tuesday, accompanied by Mrs. Hayes and baby. They will make several visits on the way before reaching Passadumkeag.

## EAST HIRAM.

Mrs. R. C. Milliton is convalescing from a severe attack of pneumonia.

Mrs. Lizzie Scribner of Harrison is visiting her daughter, Mrs. G. Rankin.

Mr. and Mrs. Gardner Rankin attended the reunion of North Bridgton Academy Alumni held at Riverton last week.

Mrs. E. E. Hanson, who has been visiting her sons, Frank and N. E. Rankins of Portland, has returned home.

Mrs. Paul Labertia, who was chosen delegate to attend the Methodist conference at Rumford Falls, has returned home.

The Misses Nan and Nellie Rankin, who have been teaching the past year at Rumford Falls, are spending their vacation with their parents.

The spring term of Fryeburg Academy commenced April 5. Annie Spring Owen Dow, Fritz Milliken and Walter Burnell will return and pursue their usual studies.

Gertie Fitchell is visiting Nellie Swann of Newton, Mass., and will attend the millinery school in Boston and later will open a full line of millinery goods in her store at Hiram.

The Fryeburg Academy minstrels made their second appearance at Hiram, March 29. They played to a large and appreciative audience. The songs were well applauded and many local hits were given.

Rural free delivery has been established as follows: Oxford No. 3 leave at 11 a. m., arrive at 4.50 p. m.

Wm. C. Leavitt, Norway, wants a competent housekeeper. Family comprises five. Steady work and fair wages. See ad.

## SHERIFF'S SALE.

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County of Oxford, ss. April 7, 1904.

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## NORWAY AND VICINITY

## A Troubled Honeymoon.

C. C. Sanderson of Dedham, Mass., a former Norway citizen, has much opposition in his family to his recent marriage. Mr. Sanderson runs a woolen mill in Norway that was burned in one of Norway's big fires. He was once engaged in the practice of law in his village and at one time was in partnership with Henry M. Bearce. He was one of the trustees of Norway Savings Bank and held many prominent positions in town.

This is the way the papers tell it: "Mr. Sanderson, who is 76, almost blind, very deaf and somewhat feeble, married Mrs. Johnson, his near neighbor, who is 30 years or more his junior—a widow with three children. The marriage was no surprise to Mrs. Ella H. Chase, Mr. Sanderson's daughter, for her father had long been acquainted with Mrs. Johnson."

"Immediately after her father's marriage, Mrs. Chase entered suit against him for \$10,000 for her services as housekeeper for many years. This suit was followed by a second, entered by a former housemaid, Anna McKay, for \$2,000 for wages which she alleges were due. And later Frederick Johnson, a son of the bride, placed the third attachment on the estate, praying \$8,000 for services. Mrs. Chase said that the only services Johnson ever performed for her father were in the nature of escort duty. The old gentleman cannot visit the city safely without a guide and assistant, and Johnson has been with him six or seven times in this capacity."

## Congregational Easter Concert.

Sunday evening at the Congregational church a large assembly, filling the audience room completely, listened to the Easter concert by the chorus and children. These concerts are always excellent and the standard was well maintained this year. The children spoke excellently and both the readings were sung in excellent harmony and time. The selections from Life and Immortality were very bright and stirring. The solo by Mrs. B. F. Bradbury was finely sung. She is always a favorite in these concerts. Mr. F. E. Tower's solo was a very splendid rendering of the somewhat familiar "Hark ye not, O Israel," and was one of the finest solos heard in the church for quite a time, and gave great pleasure to all who heard.

## Program:

Voluntary.....  
Professional.....  
Scripture Reading.....  
Prayer.....  
Chorus—Rejoice, rejoice.....  
Reading.....  
Recitation—The King of Love is Dead.....  
Solo—Dark as the Shadows.....  
Recitation.....  
Chorus—Awake, Gilead Song.....  
Recitation.....  
Chorus—Nearer My Friend to Thee.....  
Recitation.....  
Chorus—Spring Song.....  
Recitation.....  
Reading.....  
Solo—Dear Ye Not, O Israel.....  
Offering.....  
Benediction.....

Prentiss Howard of Bridgton is employed in Hayes bakery.

Masonic district deputy, Frederick R. Dyer of Buckfield was in Norway the past week.

Levi Crockett is to move into the rent in the old Hathaway block that has been occupied by Will Gary.

Ferd Swan went to the hospital at Lewiston for an operation for appendicitis, Wednesday of last week.

F. W. Sanborn attended the annual meeting of the Weekly Publishers' Association at Augusta the past week.

The death rate in Harry Rust Post, G. A. R., as published in the Advertiser last week was from 187 instead of 1807.

Stephen W. Libby and Sampson Scribner, last Friday, made 200 gallons of cider from frozen apples at Libby's mill by Crockett's Bridge.

A criminal assault was committed on Ella, the 11 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Young of Auburn, formerly of Norway, Wednesday of last week. The man, who is described as middle-aged, entered the house during the mother's absence. The mother returned, saw the man and after an exciting scene he escaped. Later Edward Linnehan, who had been working in the woods for the Berlin Lumber Co., was arrested and identified by Mrs. Young. Linnehan is 42 years old. His home is in Lynn. He claims he was drunk and did not know what he did that day after drinking the liquor he bought of pocket peddlers.

## Paine Accepted Devoe's Offer.

Good yarn: How Devoe got an agent at Delhi, N. Y.

Gladstone & Paine were agents for Devoe wanted him. Paine was painting his big Colonial house. Said it took 10 gallons of white for the trim.

Devoe sent him 10 gallons and said: if you get it all on, no pay; if you have any left, return it and pay for the rest. Agreed.

He returned four gallons and took the agency. Four or five years ago. He knows now that his old paint was and is adulterated; that's why it took ten gallons to equal six of Devoe's.

## Go by the name; there is but one name to go by: Devoe lead-and-zinc.

F. P. STONE.

If you want a farm, write J. Bennett Pike, Harrison, Me. See ad.

## CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to thank our neighbors and friends for their kind assistance during the illness and death of our dear wife and mother, and to express our grateful appreciation of every kindness bestowed on us during our recent bereavement.

MR. ALMON MOODY.  
MR. AND MRS. ARTHUR F. MOODY.  
MR. AND MRS. EVERETT F. TAYLOR.  
MISS JENNIE R. MOODY.

## EAST STONEHAM.

Mrs. Susan L. Moody.  
Died at East Stoneham, March 20, Mrs. Susan L. Moody, aged 66 years. Although her last sickness was of short duration and her death seemed sudden, Mrs. Moody had been in failing health during the past year. Yet she bore her suffering so bravely that we failed to realize her condition until the last two weeks illness, which she bore with remarkable patience and courage. With her death passes away the last of her family. Her brothers and sisters have all gone before. A husband, two sons and two daughters survive her. To those who are left to mourn the loss of their loved one we would extend our words of sympathy. As a neighbor and intimate friend of the departed during the past twenty-five years, we bestow this tribute to the memory of one who has ever proved a kind neighbor and faithful friend. Her ever ready hand had comforted the sick. Her words of hope and sympathy have cheered our sad hearts. The devoted mother, the kind neighbor, is at rest. To those who trust, has come that peace which passeth knowledge. To us is left a blessed memory lasting as time. Let us strive to emulate the many good qualities which endeared her to her family and friends.

Funeral at the residence, Thursday afternoon, March 31, the Baptist minister, Rev. Mr. Cotton, conducting religious ceremonies.

Sarah Batters is quite sick.

The mills are running. Every one seems busy.

A. Moody, whose wife recently died, will reside with his son, A. F. Moody.

Mrs. Ramsdell is liable to drop away any time. Her son Llewellyn is visiting her.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Taylor have returned home. They were here to attend their mother's funeral.

## BETHEL.

## Middle Intervale.

Joseph Oliver is sick.

Charles Kimball is at home from up country.

Geo. Osgood has been at Bingham at work all winter. Frank Osgood was there a part of the time but is now at home.

Frank Russell and daughter Maude have been to Boston lately. D. M. Kimball has been doing his barn work while he was away.

Mr. Blake of East Bethel has been buying potatoes here to ship away at 65 and 70 cts. per bushel. Eggs are now 18 cts. a dozen.

We have a letter from Sarah Pratt, wife of Capt. C. C. Pratt of South Paris. Although stricken with partial paralysis on one side, she is able to write and have some care of her invalid husband, who served in the war of 1861 to 1865.

## GROVER HILL.

We heard the first joyous notes of the robin, March 25.

Milford Browne of Waterford was at True Browne's recently.

Martin B. Whitney is through work for A. B. Grover and has been visiting friends and acquaintances in town.

Leon Allen, wife and child from Spokane, Washington, recently visited his uncle, Albert Whitman.

## NORTHWEST BETHEL.

The new U. S. mail boxes have been put in position.

Eliza Mason and Mrs. Henry Perkins went to Bethel one day recently.

Dell Stearns has gone to Massachusetts, intending to enter the Navy.

Elmer and Rob. Stearns have been hauling dressing from Trask's camp.

Rob Imman is preparing to saw wood with his horse power for any who desire his help.

Rob Bennett has moved his family to the farm he purchased here less than a year ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong have moved to Bethel and occupy the Howard Corners rent.

George Leighton was the last of the loggers to break camp here, having finished work the 26th.

Henry Perkins has bought the George Burnham house across the road from the Burnham homestead, and another fall will move it to a different location.

P. Lowe, who worked on the 'chair Co's. lot the past winter, had the misfortune to lose a valuable work horse two days before he finished work. He bought one of The Hastings Lumber Co. to take its place.

## NORTH BUCKFIELD.

Jessie Rowe had a birthday party the 22nd.

Hazel Warren is at work for Archie Curtis in Sumner.

Mrs. Ella Damon has been at Norway visiting among her folks.

Charles Damon was in our place with the first wagon, March 25.

Elmer B. Austin and Carl Heald have gone settled in their new homes.

Gideon Fletcher is falling fast, his sister, Mrs. Waldron has been with him.

Wilbur Warren rides on his wheel where he can find a bare spot of ground.

Abbie Keen has been staying with Mrs. Dunham a week or so for company.

Mrs. R. J. Bicknell is better so her daughter, Mrs. Cobb, has gone home to Boston.

E. F. Bicknell and wife were over from Norway, Sunday, to see her mother who is very feeble.

Mrs. James Cole of South Paris and her sister, Mertie Rowe of West Paris have been visiting at Charles Rowe's.

W. Heald and wife went to dinner to visit her mother, Mrs. Varney. Mr. Heald was taken sick there and was unable to come home.

## A Card.

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50-cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

FRANK KIMBALL, Norway.  
J. H. BROOKS, So. Paris. 44-17

Thomas Green of Greenwood has filed a petition in bankruptcy, through his attorney, Walter L. Gray of South Paris. His debts amount to \$214, and his personal belongings are worth \$47.



Mrs. Elizabeth H. Thompson, of Lillydale, N.Y., Grand Worthy Vice Templar, and Member of W.C.T.U., tells how she recovered by the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I am one of the many of your grateful friends who have been cured through the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and who can today thank you for the fine health I enjoy. When I was thirty-five years old, I suffered severe backache and frequent bearing-down pains; in fact, I had womb trouble. I was very anxious to get well, and reading of the cures your Compound had made, I decided to try it. I took only six bottles, but it built me up and cured me entirely of my troubles. My family and relatives were naturally as gratified as I was. My niece had heart trouble and nervous prostration, and was considered incurable. She took your Vegetable Compound and it cured her in a short time, and she became well and strong, and her home to her great joy and her husband's delight was blessed with a baby. I know of a number of others who have been cured of different kinds of female trouble, and am satisfied that your Compound is the best medicine for sick women."—MRS. ELIZABETH H. THOMPSON, Box 105, Lillydale, N.Y.—\$5.000 forfeit if original of above letter proving genuineness cannot be produced.

## SOUTH CONWAY, N. H.

Hollis Cole of Center Conway was late here on business.

Ernest Davidson cut his foot quite badly a short time ago.

Henry Hill of Brownfield has been visiting relatives here.

Mr. Allen and wife of Conway lately spent a week here as guests of A. Brown and wife.

Harris Littlefield and family and mother lately spent the day with Samuel Hatch and wife.

A. T. Cole and wife spent Sunday with Carrie Johnson, who was school teacher here, at her home near the Fryburg line.

Ephraim Bryant has got all of his goods moved into the Stephen Davis house. His daughter Plossy makes a nice housekeeper, if she is only fourteen years old.

Mary Paige of Fryburg has been the guest of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Hatch, and of other relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Allen of Conway visited at Mr. Hatch's one day lately.

Elsie Walker of Center Conway and her friend, Dolly Goodrich of Cornish, have been stopping a week at A. F. Cole and wife. Mr. Cole's brother Frank spent last Sunday with him.

## LITTLEFIELD.

Geo. Farnham has been sick.

N. F. Hoyt and son are cutting birch. Charles Roes and wife have been to Norway.

Wirt Colby and family have got the pinkeys.

Geo. Dolloff has been visiting at Guy Dolloff's.

Ethel Bixby has gone to work at Rumford Falls.

Eugene McKee has finished work for B. C. Scribner.

Frank Langvin is at work in B. C. Scribner's mill.

L. F. Swain has bought a henhouse of Randall Sessions.

Bernice Colcord is visiting her sister, Mrs. G. G. Dolloff.

Ina Silver of North Rumford has been visiting at R. E. Martin's on Red Hill.

Cleve Hemingway worked one week for B. C. Scribner and has been hauling hay for C. P. Roes. Bert Akers took his place in the mill.

## DENMARK.

Frank Howard has been cutting A. H. Witham's wood at the door.

Mrs. Freeman Sanborn has been very sick. She is at present improving.

Wm. Allen lost one of his pair of horses, Sunday the 20th. It was sick for a week.

Rev. Geo. J. Palmer and wife and A. H. Witham attend the Maine Methodist conference at Rumford Falls.

The old lady Parks, who was very sick for two weeks at Geo. W. Gray's, passed away Monday morning, March 28, at 6:30, aged 79 years, a fine old lady, a Christian pilgrim.

Minnie Harnden came home March 28. R. C. Harmon has traded away his fine driving horse.

Mrs. Charles Perkins is gaining slowly from her operation, as is also Mrs. John Hurd.

C. O. Wood held a birthday party, March 26, at Odd Fellows' hall, and 90 were present and congratulated him on his 63d birthday. A treat of peanuts and candy was provided for the occasion.

LOCKE'S MILLS.  
Jesse F. Libby and wife of Gorham, N. H., were in town over Sunday, visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Libby.

Mrs. W. H. Farnham was called to Auburn last Saturday, both her sisters and a niece being very sick with pneumonia.

Mrs. Annie Emery was seen in the village recently with the nice driving horse which he recently purchased of H. D. Douglass.

Mrs. Fannie Jordan, wife of Lincoln Downe, was buried from the Union church here, Wednesday, March 30. Mr. Downe is left with a family of seven children, the oldest 15, the youngest only five months.

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We will have at our stables in Norway 50 horses on Friday, April 1st.

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Auto-Gear, finished in new Olive shade, new style of springs. Also the folding cart with sleeper adjustment. We carry a full line of the goods you will have to have in making your Spring changes.

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Whereas the Oxford Hotel Corporation, a

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the laws of the State of Maine, and having its

place of business at Fryburg in the County of

Oxford in said State, did, on the 13th day of







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**THERE IS NO SUBSTITUTE**

Judge John A. Peters died at his home in Portland, Saturday, April 2. He was 81 years of age.

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The high standard of excellence which has made our pattern hats preeminent will be preserved in the new designs for

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We invite careful inspection of our new stock.

Our line of Millinery goods of every description is complete. We can supply all your wants.

All models have character, practicability, distinctive style, are exclusive in design and superior in workmanship.

All are cordially invited to attend.



## THE TOP COAT

One of the smartest and most stylish overcoats we can show you this season is this 34 inch top coat, a Hart, Schaffner & Marx product of an unmistakable quality. You need just such a coat as this for spring, and for the cool evenings of summer. These H. S. and M. top coats come in several shades of covert and are in several qualities.

H. S. and M. coats \$10 to \$15.

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## MISS LIBBY, Photographer,

Cordially invites you to the opening of the newly fitted Cottage Studio, lately purchased by her.

A fine exhibition of Art Studies and new styles of Photographic Portraits has been prepared to make your attendance worth while.

Friday and Saturday, April 8, 9.

N. B. If the weather should be unfavorable, we shall be pleased to have you come on the following Monday and Tuesday.

## LADIES' FURNISHING HOUSE

We invite your attention to our new and complete line of

**R. & G. Corsets**

One of the best corsets made. The styles are, Straight Front, Deep Hip, Long and Short, Girdles, and Summer Corsets. Prices .50, \$1, \$1.50. The dollar ones warranted for three months. The sizes are complete from 18 to 36, so we can fit large ladies.

For one month, and until May 7, we will give a Handkerchief Kimona with every \$10 purchase.

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### OXFORD.

#### Ill With Heart Trouble.

Newton Littlewood was taken ill with heart trouble at the woolen mill, Monday morning. A physician was hastily summoned and he was carried to his home. He is now improving.

Mrs. Will Borney is visiting relatives in Maynard, Mass.

Mrs. Emerson Bennett is suffering with a severe cold.

Leroy Edwards caught a cusk last Saturday which weighed 10 pounds.

Lula Stone has a fine piano given her in memory of her mother's wishes.

Jessie Martin of Providence, R. I., is visiting at the home of her parents.

Elbridge Edwards is out after a serious illness with grip and bronchial trouble.

Jesse Bancroft has resigned at the bakery and thinks of going to Rockland to work.

W. S. French and son Perley are shingling and improving the buildings of Mrs. N. G. Frost.

Mrs. Harry Robinson and Mrs. Mabel P. Bumpus went to Norway and Paris on business, Monday.

The Sons of Temperance are to present, "An Old Maids' Convention," in Robinson Hall, April 16.

Advertised Letters, Norway.  
Minnie Haskell, Florence Starbird, 2  
Perley E. Harnden, 2 Dr. S. S. Wakefield.

### SOUTH HIRAM.

#### Broke His Right Leg.

George Milliken of this place met with a serious accident, March 21st, breaking his right leg between the knee and thigh by being caught between the wharfing and a log on the mill carriage. It is a bad time for him to be laid up as so many people have been hauling lumber to his mill since December. He had just commenced to saw when he met with the accident.

He is a man highly esteemed and respected in this community, having been just elected one of the selectmen of this town for the 4th term in succession, which is the only case on record.

Jacob Champion lost a fine horse last week.

Fred S. Libby has a lamb 2 months old that weighs 60 pounds.

Seth Spring has bought a fine horse of Merrill of North Road, Parsonsfield.

Mrs. Rose Allen nee Chapman returns to her home in Pennsylvania, the 5th.

Frank Gilpatrick has sold his horse "Nancy Hanks" to Edward Lord of Portland.

Stearns Bros. have just bought the Monroe French mare "Red Bird." She is a good one.

Irving Sawyer is taking down his barn to rebuild near his house which will be more convenient.

Frank Stearns has a colt 11 months old which is well bred and well broken to harness and sleigh, and will make a good reader as he has all the points for one.

Mrs. William Parker has sold her buildings to Frank Sargent and she has moved into Joseph Parker's house with the intention of enlarging it for living and store purposes.

Francis Gilpatrick and Clarence Porteous have just finished their large tract of cutting and hauling pine and hemlock timber, 1,075,000 feet to the steam mill and to the river at Hiram Falls.

To cut and haul this amount of timber 8 men cut and sawed for the teams of 12 horses and 8 cattle with their drivers of 8 men, and struggle to say not a man or beast met with an accident.

Besides this Francis Gilpatrick has hauled a large amount of pine timber from the Small Bros.' land, which is near Eben Gilpatrick's farm, to the bank of the Ossipee river and a large amount of peeled poplar to Cornish R. R. station.

Mr. Gilpatrick is a smart, enterprising young man of this town, who has just been elected to the office of road commissioner for the 3d year in succession.

### WEST BETHEL.

#### Been Here and Gone.

The Oregon Medicine Company occupied Bell's hall during last week both days and evenings. Mr. Story is manager with Mrs. Collins Story as lecturer on the remedies, of which they had a large variety, selling quite a good quantity.

The day time was occupied in selling their remedies to all who called for them and in the evening they gave a very entertaining show, which was enjoyed by a good crowd almost every night.

It consisted of pictures thrown on curtain, of comedies, and music in which the blind man, Lute Snelling, took part by singing and playing the organ, which was fine and highly spoken of by those who heard him.

These people while here appeared to be fine, very quiet and attending strictly to their business, dealt honestly with their patrons and left no hard feelings between any one when they left.

Myron E. Potter is sick with la grippe. Grace Farwell has been quite with a cold.

G. H. Goodnow went to Norway one day recently.

Flora J. Wheeler visited at W. A. Farwell's over last Sunday.

J. T. Lewis and wife of Waterford were at H. Fisher's last Sunday.

Alanson Tyler, who got his arm sawed, has got back to his place in the mill.

Mrs. Ida Rollins of Bethel was in this village and stopped over night with her daughter at the hotel.

Union Chapel Aid society met with Mrs. Lillie Fletcher last week. Next meeting will be with Mrs. E. F. Grover.

### NORTH PARIS.

E. E. Fields is remodeling his house.

Eugene Curtis has a horse that was badly kicked by another.

Dr. Andrews' wife and child have been visiting friends and relatives in this vicinity, recently.

Mrs. Mary Bradbury has put in a full line of millinery in the second story of the Shurtliff store at West Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Andrews have been spending the week at Rumford Falls attending the Methodist conference.

## WANTED AT ONCE

A competent House-keeper in a family of five. Steady work at fair wages.

**WM. C. LEAVITT.**  
NORWAY, ME.

## WANTED, LOST, FOUND, ETC.

**WHITE WYANDOTTE EGGS** For hatch carefully selected 2 years old hens. The cock and hen are of the Maine State Poultry Show and is a good one. Price 50 cents for 13 eggs. Call on or address W. S. Pierce, Route 2, 15-20.

**GROCERY HORSE** For sale. Is sound and strong. Kind, will stand any where and anyone can drive him. Price reasonable. Jesse P. Edwards, Norway, Me. 15.

**WANTED WOMAN** To do plain washing and ironing. Also young man to run boot blacking chair. Call or address Beal's Hotel, Norway, Me. 15.

**FARM FOR SALE.** 75 acres, 1 mile to R. R. station, etc. Buildings all connected, nine room house, fine view of lake, cuts 20 tons of hay, 200 bearing apple trees, more than enough wood and timber for fuel.

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### WATERFORD.

#### Wedding Reception.

Mr. and Mrs. Adelbert Pennock gave a reception at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Learned. Only relatives and intimate friends were invited. They had many useful and valuable presents. The company were served with a nice supper and treat.

The bridal couple left next morning for their future home at Wilson's Mills, with best wishes of their many friends.

#### Mrs. Lizzie Rice.

More than a passing notice should be given the memory of Mrs. Lizzie (Greene) Rice, who passed to the other life, Wednesday, Mar. 23.

She was emphatically a Waterford woman, the daughter of Thomas and Eliza (Kimball) Greene. The blood of two of the oldest and most respectable Waterford families was in her veins, and in a remarkable degree the best characteristics of each were seen in her life.

In early life she was united in marriage to Chas. H. Rice and since has lived at the homestead farm on the north side of Rice Hill, uniting in her young womanhood with the Congregational church at North Waterford, she has ever been in her walk a sincere follower of the great Master. An ornament to the society in which she moved, her loss will be deeply felt, both in the church and out of it.

John G. Everett is quite sick with pneumonia.

Wm. E. Stone and Fred Johnson are busy in their sap orchards.

W. V. Kneeland has moved to the town farm to take charge for the year.

W. C. Goodwin and wife have gone to live with her mother, Mrs. J. A. Stevens.

Mary Rounds is at home from her school in Milton, Mass., for a short vacation.

Walter Shaw has closed a year's work at Mrs. Atherton's and Walter Adams takes his place.

Lawrence Knight is working up Mr. Perry's wood pile and Will Abbott is fitting Mrs. Plummer's in shape for the stove.

The many friends of Dr. Harry W. Watson will be pleased to learn that he has received the appointment of Inspector of animals in the city of Haverhill, Mass.

### WEST SUMNER.

#### Mrs. Mary Beath.

Mrs. Mary (Berry) Heath passed away March 18th, at the advanced age of 88 years, 8 months, 9 days. She was the widow of Hiram Heath and daughter of William and Deborah (Drake) Berry of Paris.

Only one of her six children survives her, Mrs. Rosetta H. Ryerson, with whom she lived and was kindly cared for for many years. She leaves five grandchildren, three great-grandchildren and two brothers, Zerl Berry of Foxboro, Mass., and George Berry of West Paris.

She joined the Baptist church at North Paris when only 17 years old. In 1888 she united with the Baptist church in this place, always remaining a faithful member. An absent friend speaking of her in a letter says "a saint at rest," truly spoken.

Aunt Mary, as she was familiarly called, retained her mental faculties to the last. She was interesting to converse with and always had a smile and a word of welcome for every one. She is missed much not only by the family but by her neighbors and friends, but our loss is her gain.

Funeral at the Baptist church, the 21st, Rev. Mr. Bishop officiating.

Mrs. Hannah Bates is still improving.

Mrs. Miriam Rowe is very low, if living.

William Abbott is very sick, also Oliver Bonney.

Fannie Maxim is very much worse. Her mind seems affected.

Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Tobin visited at Freeman Farrar's recently.

Morris Farrar from Gilbertville is visiting his uncle, Freeman Farrar.

George West had a relapse and came very near having pneumonia but is better.

F. R. McLaughlin has a new boat, Rangeley model, which came from Dixfield.

Capt. Small does not seem to gain very fast but hopes to as he can soon get out on the ground.

Mrs. E. G. Doble has runrounds on two fingers of her right hand which have been very painful.

A goodly number went from here to the auction of Pearl Crawford in North Paris, last Tuesday.

W. S. Field, teacher in Brookline, Mass., is with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Field. His brother, Walter Field, from Dixfield, is with them.

Mrs. Cynthia Bisbee made a very handsome silk log cabin couch cover, which she sold by tickets. Mrs. Kate S. Jodrie of West Paris was the lucky one. The number which drew it was 86. Mrs. Bisbee is now making many lovely may-baskets.

### EAST HEBRON.

Easter Sabbath was observed as usual. The exercises were:

Singing—Coronation ..... Congregation  
Invocation ..... Rev. A. E. M.  
Responsive Reading ..... Chorus  
Singing—Awake, Awake ..... Chorus  
Reading of Scriptures ..... Rev. A. E. M.  
Prayer ..... Rev. A. E. M.  
Sermon—Text, St. John 20-15 ..... Rev. A. E. M.  
Singing—Lo, the Stone is Rolled Away ..... Chorus  
Chorus—Lo, the Stone is Rolled Away ..... Chorus

Easter concert by Sabbath school:  
12:15 P. M.  
Chorus—The Gates of Gold ..... Rev. A. E. M.  
Harold Keene  
Declamation—Ethel Merrill  
Declamation—Gerald Saunders  
Exercise—Linked to the Cross—Five Little Girls  
Declamation—Elmer Merrill  
Declamation—Amy Bradbury  
Declamation—Donald Ramsdell  
Quartet—Lottie Small  
Declamation—Rena Farris  
Declamation—Roy Skillings  
Declamation—Bessie Keene  
Motion Song—Mrs. Kelley and Bearce  
Declamation—Donald Needham  
Declamation—Beulah Ramsdell  
Exercise—Little White Daisies ..... Rev. A. E. M.  
Duet—Harry Coffin and Mrs. Kelley  
Benediction—Rev. A. E. M.

Maud E. Green from Portland is caring for her aunt, Clara Washburn, who is confined in bed but gaining of late.

Lee Thomas of West Minot got the rent of Charles Pierce's house and has moved a big load. He is expected to bring a Mrs. Lee Thomas when he does come. The citizens all like to see the buildings occupied in place of so many empty houses.

### HEBRON.

Examination of teachers at school-house No. 6, Saturday, the 16th, at 9 o'clock.

## ANNUAL SPRING

# MILLINERY OPENING

THIS WEEK

Friday and Saturday

April 8 and 9, 1904

**MRS. V. W. HILLS**

NORWAY, MAINE

We take pleasure in announcing our opening display of

**STYLISH MILLINERY**

All the latest styles and novelties. Largest stock to which will be added, every few days, everything desirable in

**New Shapes and Novelties**

See "Our Special" trimmed, ready-to-wear hats at 80c. Children's trimmed sailors at 15 cents, worth 25 cents.

**MRS. F. E. DRAKE**

Head trimmer with experienced assistants. All invited, no matter if you don't think of purchasing. Come and see.

## Closing Out Sale of Jewelry

I shall sell at cost for the next 10 days everything in my Jewelry Department. I have a large line of all kinds of Jewelry and have decided to sell at cost to reduce stock. These are all new and up-to-date goods in every way. Some are high grade, fully warranted, some are cheap but we will sell at cost as we have an open stock, and shall close it out cheap. Anyone in need of anything in the Jewelry line will do well to call and get our prices.

### Ladies' Watches

We have on hand several high grade Elgin and Waltham watches, regular price \$15.00, \$20.00, \$25.00. Our price for this sale is \$10.75, \$16.00, \$18.00. I have several other low grade watches I shall sell at very low prices.

### Watch Guards

This is a chance of a lifetime to get high grade watch-guard at a very low price, double chains, vest chains, etc., in many styles and kinds.

### Gents' Watches

All kinds, ranging in price from \$1.50 to \$15.00 each. All will go at cost, and there are some fine trades. Those wanting a watch should give me a call.

### Brooches

This line is complete in every way. Many good styles and kinds and a chance to buy as the price will be very low on our best grade of pins.

### Silver Knives, Forks

I have a few of Roger Bros' silver knives and forks I shall sell at cost, also another cheap grade of goods that I shall sell for \$1.00 per dozen.

### Rings

Band rings, all kinds, some high grade stone rings, solid and filled, all sizes. We have a large variety of these and a good lot to choose from.

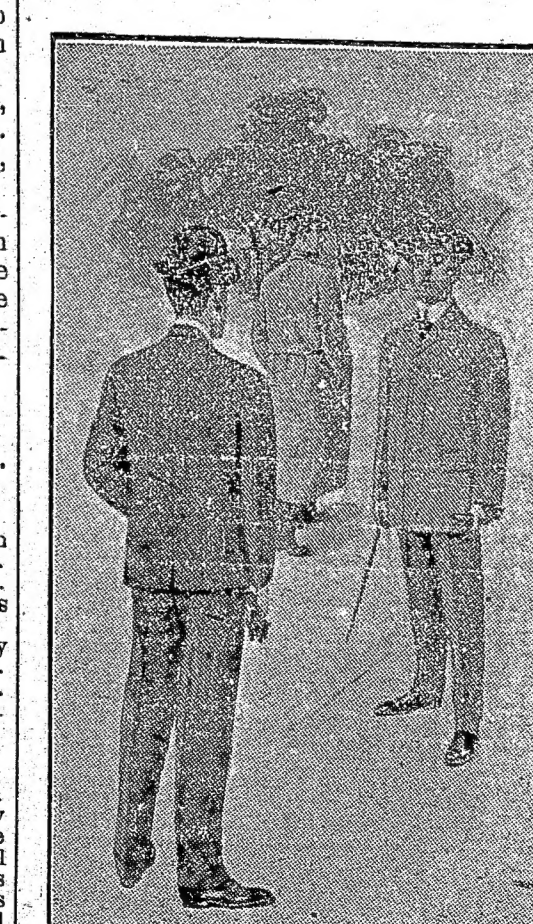
The above goods warranted and all perfectly new and up-to-date goods, and this is the chance of a lifetime to buy Jewelry at these very low prices. We must just what we say and will have everything marked plain so every one can see just what they are buying.

Come early and have a good chance to buy before the best numbers are taken.

Yours very truly,

**F. H. BECK**

Open Every Evening.



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## BLUE STORES

This is the month for

### TOP COATS AND RAIN COATS

Our New Spring Top Coat model shown in the cut is very stylish, makes a smart street garment. Price \$7.50 and \$10.00. Medium Long Coats \$5. to \$10. Our most excellent new Rain Coats made long Stylish Spring Overcoats. A Rain Coat if it rains, a gentleman's Coat, rain or shine. Large variety to select from \$10. to \$15.

Boys' Rain Coats down to 8 years at \$5. You want to wear one of our new Spring Suits if you want to wear the right kind.

**F. H. NOYES CO.**

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## Comfortable Shoes

For Old Ladies for the house and outdoor wear. Our Crumbs of Comfort has made lots of friends for us. We have them in Slippers, Ties, Lace, Congress Button and Juliet, prices from \$1.00 to \$2.00. We can fit all kinds of feet and our prices are right. Please do not forget we make a specialty of first-class Boot and Shoe Repairing.

Yours truly,

**SMILEY SHOE STORE**

NORWAY, MAINE.

E. N. SWETT, Manager and Salesman.

F. W. FAUNCE, Salesman.

### BUSINESS SPECIALS.

Under this head business notices for ten cents per line. Seven words per line. Ten cent pail, ten cents per line.

Leavitt. Mrs. G. D. Swift does all kinds of millinery work. Old hats made over at short notice at 24 Paris Street, Norway, Me.

New soft shirts for spring wear. Large assortment of many exclusive patterns \$1.00 cents at the Blue Stores Noyes Co.

A Universal ball bearing boiler, two galvanized tubs, one for six dollars at Wm. C. Leavitt's.

Have you a paper hanging to be taken down? Write to E. Norway, Me., or H. J. Bangs.

Lansom & Hubbard hats, made to order. F. H. agents for Norway and Paris.

To let, two furnished stalls for horses. Boat for sale at 20 Water street.

6 boxes Diamond axle grease at the Tucker Harness.

The long comfortable rain coats, the nobby short almost indispensable for you, it's easy to find one to please. Blue Stores of F. H. Noyes Co.

I am prepared to sell grass lowest price for cash; 90 pure oats, re-cleaned, barley, spring cob corn for seed. A. C. M.

Suits to suit everybody. They are at F. H. Noyes Co.

Plymouth Rock eggs for 1 cents per setting. Universal breed. Don S. Smith, Oak A.

We are still selling 15 large angles for 25 cents at E. F. B.

Large line of waists at L. Sucker spears at E. F. B.

Latest novelties in ladies' M. Lunt's, South Paris.